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The reply filed on 7/28/2008 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): there has been no election of species as required in the Office Action dated 7/18/2008. Rather, applicant has elected the genus of "Species I", the methods set forth in claim 81. The restriction requirement did not set forth a "Species I", rather, it detailed that one (1) method from the genus recited in claims 81 and 82 is to be elected. Electing all methods in claim 81 is not responsive to a species election requirement.

See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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